

RAINFALL

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'JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Jock McIntyre, Editor

Crops are doing fine, no sign of damage of any kind, good showers throughout the district and summerfalling well on the way.

Parris Dunn direct drive wind electric have a size for every purse and purpose and they all employ the famous slip the wind governing principle.

Our greetings and congratulations to Reynold and Mrs Schultz.

Our stock of small tools is complete, every piece is guaranteed and you just don't buy more for less either.

The local sportsman seems to have declared war on hawks, crows and magpies, there has been nearly seventy five account ed for in the past week.

The new Royal Clipper Styling of the 1940 Chevrolet has created a new impression of low slung grace. Take a ride will you?

Lightning struck the power line south of Mrs Andersons on Sunday and burned up her radio, telephone and set the house on fire, but luckily they were at home and soon put it out. At Bowmans and Bjornsons it run in the house and burned their radios up and gave them a quite a fright. Jim said he thought Hitler had arrived.

A steel tape is the handiest thing you ever had in your pocket, and they cost so little too.

High River Ball Club will be here for a Sunday game.

Wm Penn and North Star oils and greases are "Still the Best".

Folks it would not be asking too much surely to give us a chance to be
Your Hardware Merchants

MCINTYRE & C

'Your Hardware Merchants'
PHONE 6

Carmangay Stampede To Be July 5th

Practically all details towards Carmangays Big tenth annual Stampede which this year will be held on Friday July 5th have now been completed and the following have been appointed chairman of the various committees;

Stampede Chairman J A Hubka
Stampede Secty. J M Davey Jr
Mgr. Raymond Crow

Stampede Executive;
Raymond Schalow
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H O Birkness and E C Collier
Dance G H Nelson
Sports K R Miller
Race Horse D G Burwash
Grand Stand H Atkins
Car Parking Alvin Anderson
Advertising J Davey, J Hubka
Soliciting and Concessions are under these two men also.

With practically all details now completed the advertising committee will soon have all advertising out and Carmangay 10th annual Stampede promises to be bigger and better than ever.

Lightning Strikes Home In Carmangay

During the storm on Thursday afternoon a fire was started by lightning through the wire in upstairs of the parsonage. Fortunately the Taylors were home and discovered it before it had made much headway. The alarm was given and quickly responded to. With the help of neighbors was soon extinguished. The curtains were blazing and the bedding had caught fire.

The window casing flooring curtains were damaged as well as blanching up of the room.

Mrs Shell Gregory is a patient in Claresholm hospital.

Mrs George Baldwin was admitted to the local hospital this week.

Party In Honor Of Mr and Mrs G. Berger

About thirty five guests were present at a lovely party at the home of Mr and Mrs Ulrich on Sunday evening. The guests of honor were Mr and Mrs Gordon Berger. Guests were present from Vulcan Strathmore, Champion and the surrounding district.

The evening was spent very pleasantly with games, cards and novelty amusements. A delicious supper was served at midnight after which Mr. and Mrs Berger were presented with many useful and pretty gifts. After wishing the guests of honor the compliments of the occasion the party left for their homes.

A Holiday Trip

Sunday morning broke quietly with a slight drizzle in Champion. The only stir on main street was two saddle horses and a pack mule tied to the hitching rack of the local tavern.

Just as the sun peeped over the eastern rim a coyote held forth a high pitched mournful howl. Then as if it were a singular two figures dressed in riding regalia with slickers and broad brimmed someros mountee the waiting steeds and with a clatter of hoofs were lost in the grim grey dawn on the southward trail headed for — Waterton Lakes.

Elevator Broken Into

Champion was the scene of another breaking and entering on Friday night or early Saturday morning when the Western Canada Flour Mill Elevator was broken into and some ten dollars and change as well as certain other important papers were taken from the cash box

The thieves made entry by severing the hasp loop and removing the padlock on the door leading into the office. From there they went into the office and pried the hasp from a small cupboard that was used for such papers and valuables. The cash box was then opened and the contents made away with. Nothing else such as the cash tickets were disturbed.

Suspicion is pointed towards local talent.

Otto Johnson passed away at his home at Eyermore on May 29 in his 74th year. Internment took place in the Lomond cemetery on Saturday June 1st. Reverend Peter Dawson officiated.

Mr and Mrs Ben Dann and family of Reid Hill were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Kurtz over the week end.

Wedding Bells

SCHULTZ — PORTER

A very quiet wedding was solemnized by the Rev. J. M. Pritchard in Lethbridge at four o'clock Monday afternoon, June 3, when Lois Verna, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs W. J. Porter of Champion, was united in marriage to Reinhold Schultz of this district.

The bride wore a dress of powder blue sheer, with navy blue accessories.

Mr and Mrs Fred Porter of Champion attended them.

Mr and Mrs Schultz will reside on his farm at Champion

Lightning Causes Damage to Home

Sunday evening about six o'clock during the electric storm the lightning struck the transformer at the farm home of Mrs B Anderson. The telephone was literally blown to the four corners of the room and the radio tubes burned out. Fire broke out which was quickly put out out by Mrs Anderson and Ruth they being present at the time. Bjornsons and Bowmans who are on the same power line, suffered the same fate as the lightning apparently traveled along the wires into their homes.

Crop Report

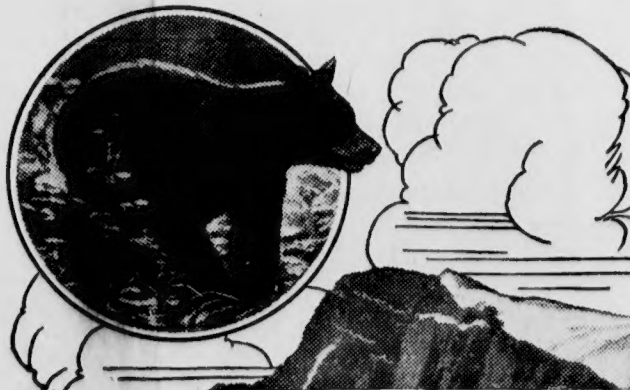
The crops in the surrounding district according to reports are stooling out. Mr J. D. McDougall says this years prospects are the best and the stand is also one of the best in years.

Rain fell on Sunday and Tuesday again so that there is no want of moisture.

Ball Notes

The Champion Senior Ball Club took a 6 to 11 beating on their own diamond on Wednesday evening from the Stavely nine. Stavely took the lead in the first innings. Champion held the Stavely bleitzkrieg in check quite a few innings and gradually climbed up to 5 to 6, but never took the lead throughout the game.

The local lads gave a sloppy exhibition of ball with a score sheet showing errors on eight of the players.



Bear In Mind

Champion's Sports Day

JULY 1st

Prizes \$100.00

The Chronicle

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Notices of concerts, socials and all entertainments to which an admission is charged or of which the object is to raise money, 10 cents per count line for the first insertion.

Classified two cents per word per insertion, minimum 25 cents, cash with order.

Advertising copy should be in this office Monday, and not later than Tuesday.

News items always appreciated and should also be in this office as in advertising rules. All items subject to editor's approval.

Cancellation—We find that our subscribers prefer not to have their subscriptions interrupted in case they fail to remit before expiration. Subscriptions will not be carried in arrears over six months, but we presume the subscriber wishes the paper continued unless cancelled.

- Editorial -

A Thief In The Night

Once again on Friday night when Champion was again sleeping peacefully or snoring in mere whispers, a masked man slips into our little town and quietly relieves us of some of our hard earned cash. To be more explicit the Western Canada Flour Mill Elevator was broken into and robbed of some ten dollars. This is the elevator managed by Harvey Jopling.

This is not the only case as conveyed to you in the above Champion has been the quiet victim of several of these attempts and successful robberies in the past year.

These are coming with alarming regularity just as the clock ticks about once every two months.

Locks do not seem to be of any avail against the man or men that make a business of breaking and entering, as said by a man on the street, "A padlock is protection against the general public, but is only a certain kind of help and sometimes a little bother for a crook." What Champion needs is some other kind of protection in the wee hours of the morning and not a door for the barn after the horse is gone.

The cost for the merchants of Champion not to mention the cost of running down the scapegoat and the punishment of same is quite severe on the tax payer and the individual. Would it not be better to prescribe some kind of prevention rather than pay the price of the cure.

Think it over

You are asked to keep in mind the Sports day on July 1st. This is Champions big day of the year, as a good Program of sports is being organized.

THE CHURCHES

So that you may enter

Worship, rest and pray.

CATHOLIC service at 11 a m
Father Ritter in charge.

UNITED CHURCH Rev.
Dawson minister; service at
7.30 pm.

CARMANGAY ANGLICAN
The Bishop of Calgary will
hold confirmation Service in
Emmanuel Church at 3 p. m.
Sunday 9th of June.



**LOW
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to the
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EVERY FRIDAY,
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Sample Return Fares:
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20.05 23.70 27.30
\$Plus berth charge
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from other stations.

OTHER HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS:
See Alaska and the Yukon—9-
day "Princess" Cruises—Van-
couver to Skagway and return.
Carefree Sunset Cruises along
West Coast of Vancouver Island.
Or, if going East, take the popular
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Canadian Pacific
WORLD'S GREATEST TRAVEL SYSTEM

Thanks God For Thunder Not Bombs

Canadians cannot thank God sufficiently that we are spared, for the time at least, the horrors of war as is being experienced overseas.

Sitting in a large Church last Sunday during an electric storm the minister called the matter to the attention of the congregation. People were a little restless as the domed and arched church vibrated to the roll of the thunder. The minister took the dramatic occasion to call for prayer, not

that lightning might not strike his church but that the congregation assembled might pray for those whose country was being bombed while we sat in a comfortable church.

Gifts, however, bring their obligations and it behoves us all to do our part to defend the liberties which we hold. If we cannot enlist for service for the front there is a task here at home everyone can do.

Let our slogan be "Who can we do most for Canada"

On Sale Now!

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

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"Since the momentous day of last September, hundreds of thousands of Canadians have been asking themselves, 'What can I do to help win the war?'"

"One answer is, 'By saving!' Every man, woman and child in the Dominion can now make a direct and continuing contribution to Canada's war effort by saving not only his dollars, but also his nickels, dimes and quarters to buy Canada's War Savings Certificates."

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For a \$5 certificate you pay \$4
For a \$10 certificate you pay \$8
For a \$25 certificate you pay \$20
For a \$50 certificate you pay \$40
For a \$100 certificate you pay \$80

TO FIT ANY BUDGET: You can take advantage of this patriotic and profitable savings plan, whether your savings are measured in dollars or in occasional nickels, dimes and quarters. Canada's War Savings Certificates are expressly designed to appeal to the man or woman of modest means who cannot afford to subscribe to war bonds of larger denominations, but who desires to do something tangible to assist the Country's war effort.

CHILDREN TOO: Even children can purchase War Savings Certificates, using their coppers, nickels and dimes to buy War Savings Stamps at 25c each. Sixteen of these stamps will buy one \$5. Certificate.

DEVELOP THE SAVING HABIT: You can purchase as many War Savings Certificates as you like, up to \$500 maturity value in any calendar year. Buy them when you wish — buy them often. Remember, systematic saving is successful saving — and your Country needs your money.

REGISTRATION: Each War Savings Certificate is registered in one name only, and is not transferable.

REDEMPTION: War Savings Certificates cannot be called for redemption by the Government prior to their date of maturity. The owner, however, has the option, after six months, of redeeming his certificates for cash at fixed redemption values. In urgent cases, advance notice will be waived.

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PERSONAL

MEN! WANT NORMAL PEP, VIM?
Try Ostrex tablets. Their tonics, stimulants, oyster elements are aids to normal pep after 40! If not delighted with results first package, maker refunds low price. Call, write Champion Pharmacy and all other good drug stores.

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Dr. DAVID NICOL

DENTAL SURGEON

In Champion Friday only

One way of helping conserve our resources in this country is by growing a garden. This is an excellent source of food supply says J F Ritchie of the Experiamental Farm, Ottawa.

**Searle Grain Co. Report
Of Precipitation**

A rather serious decline has taken place during the week in moisture condition of the three Prairie Provinces separately and as a unit. Adding together the rains which occurred from April 1st to May 27th inclusive, the moisture available to the crop today is 71 percent, only of normal, as compared with 75 percent last week and 95 percent at this time a year ago.

For Alberta the moisture condition is now 90 percent of normal as compared with 95 percent last week and 90 percent at this time last year. For Saskatchewan the condition is now 57 percent as compared with 60 percent last week and 105 percent at this time a year ago. For Manitoba it is now 86 percent, as compared with 89 percent last week and 65 percent at this time a year ago.

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Cash Prizes

Contest for the Ladies

The Publisher of the Chronicle offers cash prizes for the best suggested menu for the average Canadian home, suitable for the summer.

Simply make out the menu that you think is practical economical and high in food value, and forward same, together with your renewal, of subscription, to this office not later than June 15.

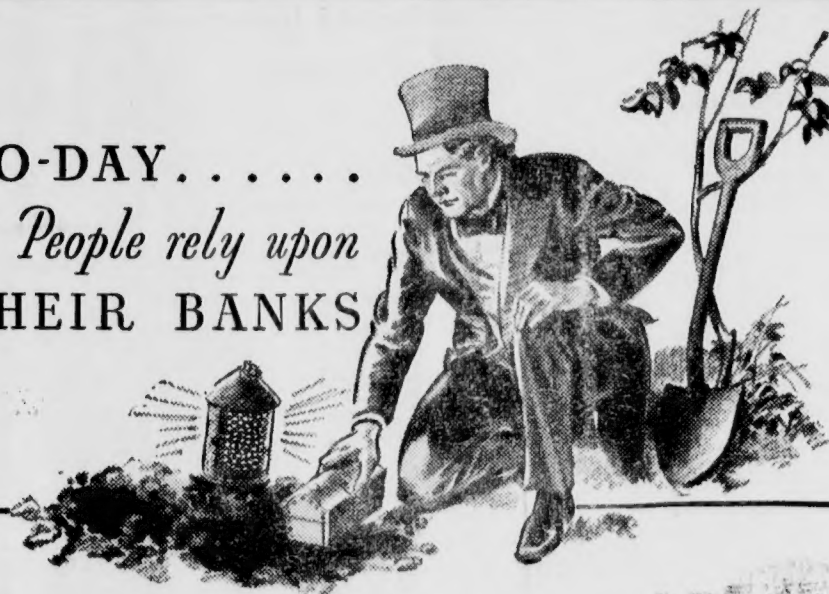
The publisher has secured the services of a graduate of Toronto University in dietetics to act with a practical lady in judging the contest. While western ladies originally these persons will be able to judge with out fear or favor.

For First Prize
Second Prize

\$2.50
\$1.50

Any number of entries may be made as long as renewals or subscription money is enclosed. Results will be announced. The winners will be published in the Chronicle.

TO-DAY.....
People rely upon
THEIR BANKS



LONG past is the day when a hole in the ground was regarded as the best place in which to keep savings. Modern banking, evolved by man as a convenience, to serve his developing needs, now provides the solution. As a depository for his money today the Canadian relies upon his bank. From the days of the old-world goldsmiths of centuries ago, to banks, bank notes and deposit accounts which meet so efficiently the greater business and human needs of today, is a far cry indeed. Canada's chartered banks, with their wide distribution of branches throughout the Dominion, now provide deposit and other banking services in line with up-to-date requirements and in keeping with Canada's position as an important factor in world trade.

In war, as in peace, Canada's Chartered Banks maintain, uninterrupted, all their services to depositors, farmers, manufacturers, exporters—facilitating the nation's business—looking forward to peace with freedom as the only sure basis for enduring prosperity.

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

We have purchased a large quantity of Paint which has enabled us to quote you the special sale prices listed below in gallon lots only.

Cream or White House Paint \$1.89 per gal.

Red only Barn Paint \$1.85 per gal.

Don't fail to take advantage of these special prices.

1940 Enterprise Ranges Leads In Quality and Beauty.

FARMER'S HARDWARE

PHONE 12

HOUSE PHONE 28

Special Bargain Fares to CALGARY

AND RETURN

From **CHAMPION**

2.10

Correspondingly Low Fares
from Intermediate Stations

GOOD GOING

JUNE 20 - 21-22

RETURN UNTIL

JUNE 24

Train No. 538

Good in Coaches only. No baggage checked. For additional information and train schedules consult Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

INSURE

Your Crop

With the

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G. Hargave & K. Glinz
Local Agents.

The recipients of the lovely flowers that came from the garden of Mr and Mrs A.J. Miller this spring take this opportunity of expressing their gratitude.

Mrs J.S. Collins of Alix was a visitor at the home of Mrs G. Orr this week.

The Champion Softball Team won when playing against a team from Alston.



MAIN STREET

K. Roy McLean — Optometrist and Optician at Drug Store, Champion Tuesday, June 11, Morning only — Calgary Office 209 Southam Building Wednesday to Saturday.

Mr and Mrs R. Bishop manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Arrowood were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs C. Taylor of Champion.

Jack Robinson has returned from his holidays to take up his position in the Bank of Commerce.

Business places in town should not forget to advise tourists that United States currency is accepted at the premium of 10 percent

At the May regular meeting of the Ladies Aid held at the home of Mrs P.O. Sommers. A good attendance of members and visitors were present.

Mrs J. Stevenson and Mrs Rev P. Dawson were appointed as committee to arrange Red Cross work for members to assist with.

In behalf of the Ladies Aid Mr Sommers was presented with a gift, it being the date of her 80th birthday

Mr and Mrs A. Kurtz and Marjorie, Mr and Mrs Ben Dann and Bobby were Lethbridge visitors on Saturday.

The Chronicle wishes to remind everyone that on June 16 Father's Day will be celebrated. Remember dear old dad. Maybe its a pipe, slippers etc. that he certainly would appreciate or just a letter.

Miss Leatha Hopkins who has been employed at the coast returned Tuesday to visit her parents Mr and Mrs Art Hopkins

CARMANGAY

A presentation was made on Sunday evening to Robert Minty at a camp fire gathering at the river by the Trail Rangers and C.G.I.T. It was a jolly evening for the boys and girls.

Rev. T. Taylor is to be transferred to Delia and Rev. Harden from Graum will be stationed here.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs V. Teskey Friday afternoon.

Born To Mr and Mrs Wesley Jacobson (nee Francis Layman) on May 29, a daughter.

On Friday afternoon Mrs Vilas Teskey entertained delightfully some of her lady friends, contests were played and a social time, afterwards lunch was served under the trees, was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Mr and Mrs Walter Mercer of Strathmore were week end visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs C.W. Folk.

Mrs Ronald Carter, and son Russel arrived at their home in Vancouver, last week, Mrs Carter is a daughter of Mr and Mrs F.G. Beaumont.



LETHBRIDGE AND RETURN

From **CHAMPION**

1.15

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JUNE 24

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CHAMPION

THEATRE

Tues. June 11

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Joan Bennett
Ralph Bellamy
Ann Southern**

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Tuesday June 11th

Show at 8.30

For Men

**New Dress Shirts
New Dress Hats
New Dress Sox
Dress up Look Fit**

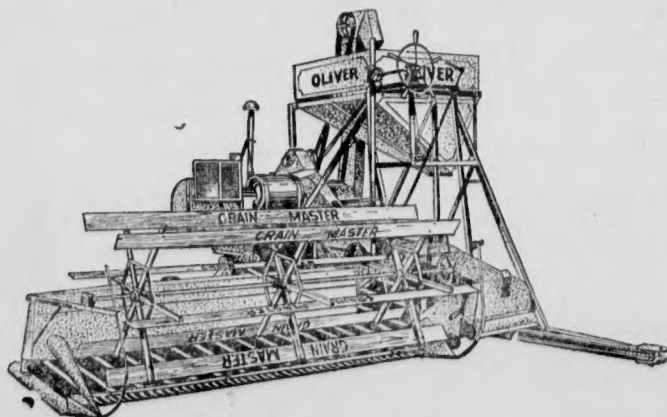
*At
Campbells*

Card Of Thanks

Mrs F. Sisson has received letters from Pte. Eric Diemert and Pte R. Gardiner now stationed at Camp Shilo, Manitoba in which the boys ask Mrs Sisson to convey to the citizens of Champion their thanks and appreciation of the parcels of cigarettes and candy sent them on their departure for the east. These boys whom we all know so well say they surely would appreciate letters from their friends and acquaintances - So lets not forget them.

You can obtain their addresses either from their parents or Mrs F. Sisson.

LOST - 4 Yorkshire weaner pigs. Finder please notify Ed. Fisher. Reward.



The new Model 12 Grain Master for 1940 with the rubberized weatherproof drapers and all metal ball bearing pitman and many other features that goes to make it a leader. We will have one on display soon.

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